W.P. No. 1488 of 2006 (S/S)

Hon. Prafulla C. Pant, J.

Heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the papers on record.

The petitioner, a Patwari, appears to have been arrested in connection of allegation that he accepted bribe. He was placed under suspension, as he was in jail for more than 48 hours. Now, he appears to have been released on bail. It is further reveled from the record that some department enquiry has also been set up against the petitioner.

In the circumstances, this Court is not inclined to quash the suspension order, as prayed by the petitioner at this juncture.

Therefore, the writ petition is dismissed in limine with the observation that the departmental enquiry shall be proceeded with and shall be completed as expeditiously as possible, provided the petitioner co-operates. (All pending applications in this case also stand disposed of).

Dt. 30.11.2006 (P.C. Pant, J.)
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